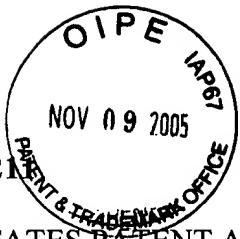




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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 6, 2005, applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.